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This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of the claims:

Claim 1: (currently amended) An isolated nucleic acid molecule comprising

~~(a) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleic acid sequence that encodes an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 165 through 284;~~

~~(b) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleic acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1 through 164~~ 100 or a part thereof;

~~(c) a nucleic acid molecule that selectively hybridizes under stringent hybridization conditions of 50% formamide/6X SSC at 42° C for at least 10 hours or 6X SSC at 68° C without formamide for at least 10 hours to the nucleic acid molecule of (a) or (b); or~~

~~(d) (c) a nucleic acid molecule having at least 60% 95% sequence identity to the nucleic acid molecule of (a) or (b); or~~

(d) a naturally occurring allelic variant of the nucleic acid molecule of (a).

Claim 2: (original) The nucleic acid molecule according to claim 1, wherein the nucleic acid molecule is a cDNA.

Claim 3: (original) The nucleic acid molecule according to claim 1, wherein the nucleic acid molecule is genomic DNA.

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Claim 4: (original) The nucleic acid molecule according to claim 1, wherein the nucleic acid molecule is a mammalian nucleic acid molecule.

Claim 5: (original) The nucleic acid molecule according to claim 4, wherein the nucleic acid molecule is a human nucleic acid molecule.

Claim 6: (canceled)

Claim 7: (original) A vector comprising the nucleic acid molecule of claim 1.

Claim 8: (currently amended) A An isolated host cell comprising the vector according to claim 7.

Claims 9-14: (canceled)

Claim 15: (currently amended) A kit for detecting a risk of cancer or presence of cancer in a patient, said kit comprising a means for determining the presence the nucleic acid molecule of claim 1 ~~or a polypeptide of claim 6~~ in a sample of a patient.

Claims 16-17: (canceled)